

**Will of Michael Fulgham
1784, Northampton County**

In the name of God amen

I, Michael Fulgam of the County of Northampton & State of North Carolina being of sound mind & memory do make & ordain this my last will & testament

First, I recommend my soul to almighty God in full hopes of it future happiness & my body to the earth to be decently interred and my wholly estate I dispose of in manner & form following

Imprimes, I give & bequeath to my son Elias Fulgam his first choice of my three guns to him & his heirs

Item I give & bequeath to my son Matthew Fulgam his second choice of my three guns to him & his heirs

Item I give & bequeath to my son John Fulgam the last choice of my three guns to him & his heirs

Item my will & desire is that after all my just debts are paid that my loving wife Mary Fulgam should have the use of all my estate real & personal during her life or widowhood to maintain my children upon and at her death or marriage my will is that all my before mentioned estate be equally divided between all my children share & share alike

Lastly I do nominate and appoint Edmund Fulgam and Matthew Lomberton Excts of this my last well satisfying and confirming this to be my last will & testament signed with my hand & sealed with my seal this forth day of October 1784

**Signd Seald & Delivd
In presents of us**

**his
Michl X Fulgam (Seal)
mark**

**James Dancy
John Lowe
Henry Lowe**

(On back side of will) – R. W Truar (?) proved the hand writing of James Dancy

**Michl Fulgam
Will
Dec 1802
Recorded**